From: Jeanne Hanson < jeanne.hanson@noaa.gov>

Sent: Friday, July 13, 2012 2:26 PM

To: Jon Kurland

Cc: Gina Shultz; Kim Rivera; Doug Limpinsel

Subject: Re: [epa_bristolbay] Send in your comments on the draft Bristol Bay watershed

assessment by July 23!

Gina,

HCD did provide comments for the Region. I am currently on leave, but have copied our point of contact, Doug Limpinsel and he can make sure you get a copy of our comments.

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On Jul 13, 2012, at 8:12 AM, Jon Kurland < jon.kurland@noaa.gov> wrote:

AKR's HCD has the lead on this for NMFS.

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On Jul 13, 2012, at 12:04 PM, Gina Shultz < gina.shultz@noaa.gov > wrote:

Hi Jon and Kim,

This seems like a regional issue, but please let me know if PR5 can assist you by reviewing and coordinating with you on comments.

Thank you, Gina

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From: **Pat Shaw-Allen** <pat.shaw-allen@noaa.gov>

Date: Fri, Jul 13, 2012 at 10:48 AM

Subject: Fwd: [epa bristolbay] Send in your comments on the draft Bristol Bay

watershed assessment by July 23!

To: Gina Shultz < gina.shultz@noaa.gov >

Gina,

Do we know whether or or the region is watching this issue? I feel compelled to review & comment.

Pat

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From: <<u>R10BristolBay@epamail.epa.gov</u>>

Date: Thu, Jul 5, 2012 at 5:24 PM

Subject: [epa bristolbay] Send in your comments on the draft Bristol Bay

watershed assessment by July 23!

To: EPA Bristol Bay List < epa_bristolbay@lists.epa.gov

Greetings:

EPA today announced that the agency will maintain the previously announced comment deadline of July 23, 2012, for the draft Bristol Bay watershed assessment.

The sixty-day comment period announced with the proposal is consistent with the length of time the Agency has historically provided for complex scientific assessments of comparable scope and detail. In addition to undergoing the important public comment process, the draft assessment will be evaluated by an independent peer review panel of scientists. EPA has also conducted extensive outreach to the subsistence and commercial fishing community since the draft assessment was released to ensure they are able to provide comment to help inform any final assessment, along with input from other important stakeholders including the public. In order to ensure that the final assessment is released in a timely fashion, it is imperative that this process move forward on schedule.

Your input is important to EPA. Please send your comments on the draft watershed assessment to the EPA docket no later than July 23, 2012.

You can submit your comments online at http://www.regulations.gov/#!documentDetail;D=EPA-HQ-ORD-2012-0276-0001

Find instructions on how to send comments by e-mail, in writing or by fax at www.epa.gov/bristolbay

Please let me know if you have any questions.

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